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The C A R C meets the third Wednesday of the month at 7:30 PM.

NEXT MEETING IS JUNE 21ST at the Emergency Preparedness Center.

STARK COUNTY VOLUNTEER EXAMS

Saturday May 27th, the quarterly Volunteer Exams were given in Stark County at the Emergency Preparedness Center.

Volunteer Examiners for this session were Dick Stellarini W88VUN (Stark County Coordinator), Earl Snyder W8BAIU and Paul Kiehl N8BQ. Of course several others of Dick's team were there, doing their duties with the usual efficient professional manner. This includes Gary W8BW, John K8BNR, Julius KD8XD, Jerry KE8MF, Kay W8LNK and Judy N8AIM. Hope I didn't miss any one.

There were seventeen people taking tests and the unbelievable results were that sixteen passed their tests. They all came prepared which proves the motto - Failing To Prepare is Preparing to Fail. This figures out to be a 94.1% pass rate. The normal has been around a 65% pass rate.

We now have 2 new Extra Class, 1 new Advanced Class, 6 new General Class, 5 new Technician Class and 2 new Novices. Four came with no license and ended up with 1 new General Forrest Weaver, 1 new Tech

Douglas Miller and 2 new Novices David Garan and Charles Henley Sr. The successful are Dean KB8ARX to General, Mark KB8FDJ to Extra, Ted KB8HKU to Tech, Paul KB8GAA to Tech, Al N8FCR to Advanced, Dale KB8HLA to General, Ralph W8BJU to Extra, Harold KB8GRY to Tech, Tom WD8DXM to General, Mike KB8GTN to General, Mark KB8FRL to General and Sandy KB8FZX to Tech.

Our CONGRATULATIONS to the Successful.

MINUTES FROM MAY CARC MEETING

The meeting was chaired by President Joe Vignos W1FEZ. The meeting started at 1930 hours with 48 people in attendance.

SECRETARY'S REPORT - Minutes approved as per Feedline report.

TREASURER'S REPORT - Larry K8RMY said that business was very slow this month in the club treasury. Larry paid out only \$5.00. The club treasury now contains \$5466.00.

FIELD DAY REPORT - DAVE OST WD8PTU - CHAIRMAN

Dave still has no one to be the chairman of the food committee for Field Day (as of the May 17th meeting). Dave reported the following things are in place: The tents are arranged for, the club has a new tower and rotator, which means the club now has two towers and two rotators.

Dave would like to see the following things take place during field day, which are as follows: A Novice Station (no Novices have shown any interest so far), a Solar powered station (and only the battery has to be charged by the solar energy for the station to be considered solar, a Packet Station and all these special stations bring the club special points for field day.

Some of the things needed yet are: Remember to bring the coffee pot, CW operators are needed and Bob Carswell K8MNS has volunteered with help to put a packet station on the air.

CANTON LITE TRIATHALON - All club members taking part in the triathlon, will receive a T-shirt. Be sure to give your size to John Edel K8LBZ or Gary Kline WC8W. Eight hundred people are expected to take part in the triathlon.

HALL OF FAME RUN - No report.

HALL OF FAME PARADE - AUG 5TH - Bill K8JZN passed out a sign-up sheet for volunteers to work the parade providing communications. If you did not sign up, see or call Bill K8JZN to volunteer.

SPECIAL EVENTS STATION - Randy K8BJN Chairman of the Special Events Station for Hall of Fame weekend, reported that announcements for the station operation, have been sent to the proper magazines, stating times the station will be on the air and dates (which are July 31 to Aug 6. Randy needs operators for the Special Event Station. All stations will be operated from the "Ham's" homes, using their

coverage receiver. Call Ray McElroy on 488-2785.

10-10 INTERNATIONAL NET CONVENTION

The 10-10 International Net Inc. will have their second Biennial Convention held in Milwaukee Wisconsin on August 11, 12 & 13. There will be Forums each day on subjects like - DXing on Ten, Paper Chasing, Propagation and Solar Flares, Frequency Allocations, Codeless Licensing In Our Future, Antennas, AMSTAT.

If you have any complaints or suggestions on ways to make the net more interesting and enjoyable, the convention will be the place to air your ideas.

Tickets for the convention are \$5.00 in advance and \$7.00 at the door. The banquet is \$15.00 in advance and \$17.00 at the door. Make checks out to Ten Ten International. Tickets are available from Richard Schlatterer KA9MTY, P.O. Box 83134, Milwaukee, WI 53223.

Information packets are available from Henry Hiatt WD9FCQ, 15934 Braun Road, Sturtevant, WI 53077, for two first class postage stamps.

The official radio station for the convention W6OI/9, is on the air. All contacts will receive a commemorative QSL card. Send a S.A.S.E. along with your card to Duane Riel NX9H.

CANTON LITE TRIATHALON

On Saturday June 10th, the 1989 Canton Lite Triathlon got underway promptly at 8:00 AM. when 202 hardy (but not sure of their sanity) athletes, jumped into Sippo Lake to begin a journey of a 1.5 km swim, (slightly over 1 mile) a 40 K bike run, (24.41 mile) and then a 10 K run (6.2 mile). With temperatures around 43 degrees and the lake temperature about 63 degrees, it was not the best of conditions. The fastest time completed was just over 2 hours and the last person to pull into the HOF Courts, was just over 3 and 1/2 hours.

Sandy Dobbins, event coordinator, wishes to thank all the Amateur Radio volunteers for their time and energy to help make this event successful. Those participating, besides John Edel Communications Coordinator and Gary Kline WCBW Net Control Station, were; Bob K8BMNS, Dick KC8DU, Charlie K8BYC, Bill K8JZN, Lou K8LW, Jerry K8BWER, Steve NOCZV, Rich K8ZQH, Dan N8DZM, Everett N8EIL, Hershel K8BYMU, Jim W8GXM, Art W8FEC, Wes NV8M, Jack N8FEB, Pat N8FED, JD N8KHJ, Danielle N8KCC, Stan W8NZE, Dan N8JBB, Gordy K4FID, Warren KC8ON, Tom WD8DXM and for Phone Calls were Doris W8IKC and Paul W8MEK for a total of 27 Amateurs.

Both John K8LBZ and myself Gary WCBW, not only wish to thank all those who helped but to also congratulate the Hams for the outstanding job they did and it made our jobs as Event Communications Coordinator and Net Control Station, a lot easier.

The whole event went very smooth and we had only one "emergency".

One of our own operators, Danielle Cale N8KCC, was bitten by a squirrel. Prognosis; Danielle fine, condition of squirrel; unknown.

73's Gary Kline WCBW NCS.

NEW NOVICE GRADUATES

Gary Kline WCBW wishes to announce that the remaining three members of the Massillon Radio Club Novice Class, have successfully completed and passed their tests and are now awaiting their new license, so they can get on the air and enjoy our wonderful and useful hobby.

They are Paul D Maksim of Canton, Gary Jarrell of Massillon and Mathew Stephens, son of Roger N8CXG, of Navarre.

FRIDAY NOON LUNCHEON & SATURDAY BREAKFASTS

Thought we should give you a report on these friendly get-togethers.

The Friday Noon Luncheons are still being held at IKE'S GREAT AMERICAN RESTAURANT, 4465 Everhard Rd NW and the two Breakfast Groups, early birds at 8 AM and the sleepy ones at 9 AM, are still meeting at JOHN'S BAR & GRILL, 2749 Cleveland Ave NW.

If you enjoy good food and the very best friendly company, come on out and join us. The more the merrier.

CARC CLUB RECORDS

One of the courtesies and benefits that comes with membership in Canton Amateur Radio Club, is the notifying and sending a 610 form two or three months before your license expires. In order to do this for you, we must have your license expiration date in our data base and many of you have not given us this info.

Also, being an ARRL Affiliated Club and a Special Service Club, when the annual report is made out, we must show the total number of ARRL members that are also club members and maintain a certain percentage. That is the reason for the inquiry on the club application and renewal form.

If there is a RED X on your label, we are missing part of this information. Contact Bill K8JZN and he will tell you what info is needed and add this info to the data base.

Thank you for your cooperation.

FOOTBALL HOF WEEK - To volunteer for July 30 FUN RUN, see Myron N8DHT, Kickoff Parade Dick WB8VUN & Bill K8JZN for Aug 5 parade.

equipment, but the clubs call sign, which is W8AL.

VEC REPORT - Dick WB8VUN will have up-grading tests Saturday May 27th at the Emergency Preparedness Center starting at 9:00 AM.

PROGRAM FOR MAY 27 MEETING - The program for the evening was presented by Dick Dager KC8OU. The program was about the Uniden President Model HR 2510. This radio is a 10 meter transceiver. The program was excellent and was presented in the "DICK DAGER STYLE". Dick thought the radio was a very good radio and it was up for sale, after he (Dick) was done "playing" with it.

OLD BUSINESS - NONE

NEW BUSINESS - NONE

COMMENTS - Remarks were made that the club needs more programs like Dick Dager's program, programs about equipment and how the equipment works. ANY VOLUNTEERS ?? See Julius K8BXD our Program Chairman.

W8EK REPORT - Ken reported that ARRL will soon make a decision about a NO CODE requirement. Ken said the NO CODE is now being called the Limited Code requirement. All Radio Clubs are being asked for their stand on the issue.

All Hams who have ARRL Insurance, LISTEN UP !!! When you renew your insurance, YOU MUST LIST ALL OF YOUR PRESENT EQUIPMENT THAT YOU HAVE INSURED OR WANT INSURED AT THE TIME YOU BUY YOUR INSURANCE EACH YEAR. If you buy new equipment up to 1000 dollars after you buy or renew your insurance, it is covered. If you buy more than 1000 dollars worth after you have purchased insurance, you must notify the insurer immediately or the equipment IS NOT INSURED. The telephone number is 1-800-323-2106. The address is: ALBERT H. WOHLERS AND CO., 1440 N. NORTHWEST HIGHWAY, PARK RIDGE, ILLINOIS 60068-1400.

20/20 DRAWING - John Edel K8LBZ won \$18.00.

Motion to adjourn was made by Earl W8AIU, John K8LBZ and Randy K8BJN seconded. Motion passed and all QSY'd to the kitchen for refreshments.

MINUTES PREPARED BY STAN FRIEDMAN NN8M

CARC Secretary

PREZ FEZ SEZ

In the words of a Golden Oldie, "Bring on those lazy, hazy, crazy days of summer, the time for soda and popcorn and beer.", which translated to our club, means that time flies and we are but a week away from Field Day, the time to test our skills in putting together a battery powered station operable from 80 thru 10 meters, straining to put up antenna towers, searching for Frank's always elusive "fox", sipping cool beverages, munching goodies and enjoying the fellowship of a good old fashioned get-together.

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There is something for everyone in the club, be it operating, logging, cooking or just socializing. We always look for our largest turnout of the club year and the record of last year will be hard to beat!

So, plan ahead. Set aside Saturday and Sunday, June 24th and 25th, to join in and help make the 1989 Field Day a Great One!

Start now by calling Dave Ost WDBFTU and volunteer your services.

Looking forward to seeing "you all" at Field Day.

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FOR SALE

The following items are for sale by Jack Feller N8GIC. Call for more info and prices on 863-2795.

1. TEN-TEC MODEL 540 TRANSCEIVER
2. TEN-TEC POWER SUPPLY PS-20
3. TEN-TEC MICROPHONE - 215P
4. TEN-TEC ANTENNA TUNER MOD 247
5. TRAC KEYS - SAME AS CLUB'S
6. MICRONTA SWR-MOD-POWER METER
7. ANTENNA TUNER SST MOD T2
8. BENCHER KEY
9. AUDIO FILTER - AUTEK MOD QF1A
10. BUTTERNUT ANTENNA HF6V

The following items are for sale or give-away by Denny KBAGB. He needs help cleaning out his basement. Call on 452-3872.

MISCELLANEOUS ELECTRONIC PARTS AND SUB-ASSEMBLIES.

The following is for sale by JULIUS KD8XD. For info call on 492-3937.

64 Total Communications w/instruction book - For telephone modem.

PK 64/HFM Packratt (factory installed HF modem). New in 1988. Stop in and see it in action.

Okimate "10" Printer for C-64. Color Printer w/instruction book.

Carpet your shack. New never used commercial grade Armstrong Carpet 64" wide by 14' 10" long.

Brand new Craftsman Bench Top Drill Press.

Give Julius a call and get the details and price for the above equipment. He needs some new golf balls.

Many tubes, including transmitter, for sale or trade on a general